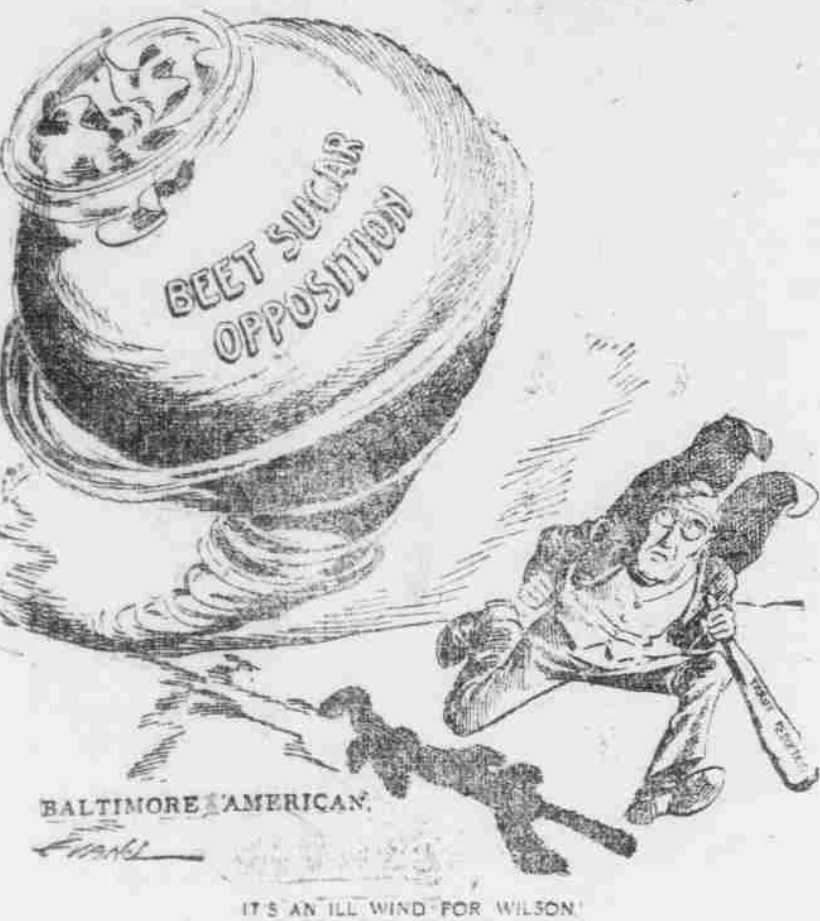


TIMELY EVENTS PICTURED IN CARTOON BY THE LEADING ARTISTS OF THE COUNTRY

THE BIG SOU' WESTER



And the Cat Came Back



JUST WHEN HE THOUGHT HE WAS NEARLY THROUGH



ON HIS DOOR STEP



THE HERR AND THE TORTOISE



NEWS FROM ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS
EASTERN CONNECTICUT AND WESTERN RHODE ISLAND.

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties.

New London County
VOLUNTOWN

News from the Diamond—How Memorial Sunday Will Be Observed.

Saturday afternoon the local team was defeated in the fastest game of the season by a score of 3 to 4. The home team outbatted the visitors, but through reckless baserunning were unable to score. Both teams played a splendid game, the visitors being only charged with one error while the home team made three. The attraction today will be Plainfield Holy Name society and another good game is looked for. On Memorial day the boys go to Sterling for two games. A crowd of young people from this place attended the dance at Glasgow Saturday evening. The buildings at Terrace farm, formerly known as the Dr. Davis place, are showing much improvement, having been painted red with green trimmings. Many improvements have been made on this property since coming into possession of the present owner, Frank Freuda.

Memorial Exercises. Tomorrow, Memorial Sunday, the G. A. R. escorted by Court Liberty, 1st, E. of A. and Court Advance, 3339, J. O. O. P., will leave Union hall about 9 a. m. and accompanied by a local rifle and drum corps will march to Robbins cemetery and decorate the graves of the fallen heroes of the Civil war. After the conclusion of the exercises in the cemetery return will be made to the Baptist church where a special patriotic program has been arranged.

Several from Voluntown attended the circus at Jewett City Thursday. Triduum at St. Thomas' Church. A triduum, or three days' prayer in honor of the Blessed Sacrament, commenced Friday evening at St. Thomas' church and continues this (Saturday) evening, at 7.30, and Sunday. Many from this village are planning to attend the unveiling of the soldiers' monument in Jewett City Friday, May 26th.

Stephen Hall, who recently attempted suicide at Plainfield, was a well known player on Voluntown and Glasgow baseball teams. The conference of six churches held at the Hanover Congregational church Wednesday, the 21st, was well attended by the members and friends of the different churches. The missionary meeting was held at Mrs. P. G. Dressing's last Friday. Miss Anna Elbers of New York is spending a few days with Mrs. P. G. Dressing. Mrs. Nathan Bennett's sister, Miss Linderburg, has been visiting the former during the past week.

FITCHVILLE

Mrs. Frank Thompson injured by Fall—May Basket Hung to Supt. and Mrs. E. L. Rathbun.

Miss Helen Adams is spending the week with friends in Stafford Springs. Miss Albertina Harris and Miss Ruth Eastland were callers in New London Sunday. Mrs. Frank Thompson is confined to her home from injuries received in a fall at her home. Charles Phillips, John F. Fields and Michael Sweeney and Representative John S. Sullivan made up an automobile party to Hartford Tuesday. Received Fine May Basket. Supt. and Mrs. E. L. Rathbun returned home Tuesday evening from a few days visit with friends in Boston. A few hours after arriving home a large May basket containing fruit, sweets and twenty dollars in gold was left at their door. After a long hunt by Supt. Rathbun and grandson, Master Harlow Boose of Norwich, a party of the young people of the village were discovered in hiding. The party was invited into the house where a pleasant evening was spent.

Local Notes. Mrs. Margaret Curley of Norwich is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frances Kinhead. Mr. and Mrs. James D. McCarthy and son of Norwich were recent guests of Mr. McCarthy's father, John McCarthy. Miss Elsie Adams is visiting friends in Hartford. Frank McManus has returned from a visit with relatives in Arctic, R. I. Miss Annie McManus has returned from a visit with Jewett City friends.

SALEM Grange Hall Clear of Debt—Surprise Party—May Basket for Teacher.

Miss Marion Polly of New London is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Darling in Salem. Frank Gardner and Miss Maxson of New London were visitors in town on Sunday. A social and dance was held in Grange hall last Friday evening. Free from Debt. At the regular meeting of the grange Tuesday evening the last indebtedness on Grange hall was entirely paid. A fine concert piano has recently been purchased from a Norwich firm and placed in the hall. A surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roy at their home on Wednesday evening. Miss Eva Standish teacher of the Central school had a handsome May basket hung by her pupils Thursday evening, May 21, which was the teacher's birthday. Her desk at school was decorated with flowers and gifts of remembrance.

GLASGO

Joseph Dumas to Return from Canada—Waterbury Man Has Kinney Farm.

Mrs. W. H. Bonney is spending several days in Summit, R. I. Joseph Dumas, a former carpenter from Canada, who has been for a year or more, to the village. J. P. Wilbur is running a new automobile. Mrs. Smith of New London has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Shaw, returning to her home last Sunday. Mr. Olsen of New York is spending the week at Sterry Kinney's. New Owner Arrives. The man from Waterbury who bought the Harland Kinney farm moved his household goods to his new home last Saturday. Harris Eccleston and family were week end guests of his brother, Frank Eccleston. Guests from Maine. Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Curtis, former residents of this place, now living in Maine, have been guests of relatives and friends here the past week. Mrs. Homer Kinney and her sister, Mrs. Curtis, were calling on friends in the place Monday. Irving Button of Pendleton Hill was in the village Tuesday. Noves Eccleston spent several days the past week at Stewart Hill.

NORTH STONINGTON

Thirst Gets Three Men Into Lockup—Rev. M. G. Tupper at Baptist Church.

Rev. M. G. Tupper of Three Rivers, Mass. spent Sunday in town and spoke in the Third Baptist church. Mr. Tupper was entertained at the home of Deacon George A. Thompson. Home from Florida. Charles F. Hayden has returned from Florida, where he spent the winter and early spring. Miss Gertrude Main of Preston Plains was the guest over Sunday of her aunt, Mrs. Leonard Main. Mrs. Clifford W. Caswell is temporarily acting as substitute nurse at the state hospital at Norwich. Helped Themselves to Cider. The arrival of three inmates for the town lockup Sunday evening caused a ripple of excitement in the village. They were thirty individuals who on a holiday hike had appropriated several cheering glasses of cider without leave of the owner. NORTH LYME Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sisson, Jr., were in Lyme last Friday. Mrs. W. M. Sisson and Rev. Francis Purvis were callers in Salem Thursday. Mrs. N. S. Strong and children visited Mrs. E. Rogers Monday. Mrs. Erwin Rogers is in Lyme, at Edward Smith's, for two weeks.

UNCASVILLE

Seniors Give Comedy—Mission at St. John's Church Ends—Old Fellows Attend Grand Lodge Exercises.

Monday evening the senior class at the Palmer Memorial school gave a comedy entitled 'A Suffering Baby', with the following cast: Anna Spencer, Ruth Bergman; Helen More, Teresa Hickey; Susan Trimble, Edna La Bounty; Mrs. McGuinness, the landlady; Elsie La Bounty; Miss Harriett Myer, a reporter; Susan Lohme; Sibyl Henderson, Vera Burgess. There was a good attendance and the sale of ice cream and cake which took place afterwards was well patronized. About \$30 was cleared. This with money which the class raised on other entertainments given last winter will be used to defray the expenses of the class trip which will be taken on Thursday to Hartford in an automobile. The pillow went to Miss Minnie McArthur. Winthrop M. Daniels of Princeton, N. J., was a week end visitor at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Burdard. Close of Mission. Sunday ended the mission given by Rev. Father Marbot in St. John's Roman Catholic church. Mrs. Ellen Clifford entertained Mrs. Orin Gardner of Gardner Lake over Sunday. Miss Anna Quinn, a teacher in the Tenth district (Uncasville) school, who has been ill, was able to resume duties this week. Miss Bertha Lyon has substituted. Able to Leave Hospital. Earl La Penn after several weeks in Backus hospital, undergoing treatment for blood poisoning, was discharged from the hospital last Tuesday and is now at the home of his sister, Mrs. Luther Tupper. James E. Comstock has had his land on the Colchester road surveyed and laid out in building lots. Mrs. Winifred Hanney and children, Wellesley and Katherine, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Church. The Home Missionary society met at the home of Mrs. Thomas Church Friday. Jonathan Baker, whose death occurred in New London, was at one time a resident of this town. Mrs. Albert W. Avery, Mrs. Frederick E. Comstock, Mrs. George Dart and Miss Laura Woodworth, who were in New York attending the Sunshine convention, arrived home Saturday night. Mrs. Charles T. Beebe entertained the members of the Good Cheer Sunshine society at her home on Thursday afternoon. In New Home. The new residence of Frank J. Alexander has been completed and Saturday Mr. Alexander moved his household goods from New London into his new home. Miss Edith Taylor of New York has been spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Taylor. Miss Clara Woodworth left Sunday to visit friends in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Killean entertained the week end Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hullivant of New London. At Grand Lodge Session. A delegation of 30 from Thames Valley, J. O. O. F., attended the exercises of the grand lodge held in Ly-

ceum theatre, New London, Tuesday evening. James Armstrong of Winsted visited with friends in town on Sunday. Home from Europe. Mrs. W. S. Mitchell left this week for New York to meet her sister, Mrs. Joseph Latimer, who with her daughter, Miss Gladys Latimer, has been spending the winter traveling in Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hart and child are guests at the home of Mr. Hart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hart. Moses Chapman, who is spending a few weeks with his daughter, Mrs. Hanney, was at his home over Sunday.

OAKDALE Church Interests—Mrs. Letitia Comstock Seriously Ill.

At the Congregational church Sunday morning the pastor, Rev. C. L. French, preached from the parable of the Prodigal Son, Luke 15, 17, first clause. The C. E. meeting was conducted by Deacon J. C. Fellows. Topic, The Statute of Christ Growing Up Into It, Ephe. 4, 11-16. The attendance was 13. Recent Visitors. Mrs. F. A. Parke of Poquonoc Bridge was a caller at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Fellows, one day recently. H. A. Rogers of Waterford was a business caller in this place Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reynolds of Leftham were callers at J. C. Fellows' Sunday. F. A. Beebe and family of Leftham were callers at J. C. Fellows' Sunday, making the trip in their automobile. E. E. Baker of Leftham was a visitor in this vicinity Tuesday. Mrs. Orin Gardner of Gardner Lake called on friends at Raymond Hill on Sunday. Mrs. Letitia Comstock is confined to her home by illness. A graduate nurse is in attendance. LAUREL GLEN Many at Auction—Boy Injured by a Fall.

Jessie Main of Stonington was here last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Congdon were business callers in Westerly Saturday. Mr. Putker was in North Stonington the same day. Mary Welch of Ashaway was at the home of Nathan Main recently. A good number attended the auction at the late Ellen Main's Saturday. The things sold brought good prices. After a visit here, Mr. Putker's daughter has returned to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Walter James were Sunday callers at Willis Alm's, near Pendleton Hill. J. P. C. Von Carlberg was in Westerly Monday. Gilbert Main, youngest son of At-taway Main, while playing ball, fell on a barrow and was seriously injured. Dr. Briggs of Ashaway was called. Horace Palmer was in North Stonington Thursday. LIBERTY HILL Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Latham and four children of Yonkers, N. Y., were guests of Mrs. Latham's uncle, J. Geo. Clark, Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Horace Poote is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Stafford of Bridgeport. Mrs. E. A. Noves who has been ill with grip for the past four weeks remains about the same.

LEONARD BRIDGE

South Coventry Preacher Heard—Mourners at Charles B. Strong's Funeral.

Mr. Harris and Miss Spilvey of Norwich spent Sunday with Miss Lizzie Caples. Mrs. Elizabeth Hazen was a recent visitor in Battle. Mr. Kawelski of Hartford was at his summer home on the island at Williams pond recently. Rev. Mr. Christie of South Coventry preached at the church last Sunday afternoon and will preach here again May 25. Elmer E. Caples spent Sunday in Norwich. Miss Emily Watrous is at J. H. Burdell's on Liberty Hill. Miss Ruth Brown spent Saturday afternoon with Miss Flora A. Spaulding in Lebanon. Charles Carpenter's children have been ill. Attended Funeral. Miss Mae Carpenter of Greenwich, Mrs. Howard Carpenter of Westchester, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cummings of South Coventry, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Porter and family of Hebron, Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Ayer of Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. William Strong, John Strong, Charles Strong and Miss Belle Strong of Colchester and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carpenter of Providence attended the funeral of Charles B. Strong Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Kneeland spent Thursday with Mrs. Maria Morgan in Colchester. Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter of this place has been very ill at the home of her son, Howard Carpenter, in Westchester. CLARK'S FALLS Providence Visitor Catches 30 Trout—Two Young Hawks Captured.

William E. Barber of Hope Valley was here on business Saturday. E. R. Hill has a large hatch of White Leghorn chicks just out of his incubator. Edward Halton of Providence was the guest of Richard Main recently. He was on a trout fishing hike and caught 30 of the coveted fish. The largest weighed nearly 22 ounces. It was the first time he had ever fished these streams and he had no guide, only a map of the streams around Clark's Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Evans are taking charge of the farm now owned by New York parties, formerly owned by Jerry Duro, north of the Wheeler crossroads. Two Hawks Captured. Bard Hill and Perry Maine captured two large young hawks. LEDYARD Twenty-four Fine Pheasants Released—Three Tramps in Jail for Taking Lafayette Main's Cider.

Earl E. Geer recently released 24 pheasants that were consigned to his father, Isaac G. Geer, from the western part of the state. They were very handsome, especially the male birds, and were very glad when liberated. They seem to be very gentle since being set free. Miss Viola Latham has been the guest of Miss Lulu Selzer. Coroner Franklin H. Brown and Dr. N. S. Lewis of Norwich transacted business at the probate office Thursday. Stele Cider—Sent to Jail. Lafayette P. Main, who owns property near Lantern Hill, had a barrel of hard cider near his elder mill in the open. Three tramps came along Sunday afternoon and helped themselves to plenty. They were feeling good when Mr. Main arrested them and took them to the North Stonington lockup, where they were kept over night. Monday morning they were brought before Justice Charles E. Chapman and all three were fined. They could not pay their fines and were taken to the Norwich jail. Local Notes. Little Miss Helen White, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. W. F. White, has been ill. Miss Annie E. Baldwin of the state hospital was the guest of Mrs. S. E. Holdridge Tuesday. Young people from Norwich are occupying Baldwin's cottage at the drawbridge. GARDNER LAKE Pavilion Being Built on Lake Shore for Brooklyn Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds of New London visited local relatives on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin of Norwich spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney A. Dolbear. James Y. M. C. A. Pavilion. The J. W. Davis company, contractors, Bridgeport, are building a large pavilion on the west shore of the lake for the Central branch Y. M. C. A., Brooklyn, N. Y. Miss Emma Johnson, after visiting several days in Norwich and Jewett City, returned home Monday. Mrs. Ella Champlin is spending several days with friends and relatives in Norwich. Ephraim Williams of Norwich is visiting local friends. Mrs. Edith F. Boynton is visiting in Worcester. Miss Grace Lathrop of Palmertown spent Sunday at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Lathrop. James R. May and several friends of New London spent Sunday at Gardner Lake grove. Guests of J. L. Oat. J. L. Oat entertained a party of young men from The Bulletin company Saturday at his cottage at Spring grove. Mr. and Mrs. Fitch A. Dolbear of Norwich were at their cottage at Spring grove Sunday. Mr. Tryon of Williamsville was a local visitor Sunday.

EAST COLCHESTER Local Grangers at Institution of Grange in Lebanon.

Mrs. Clark and son, Everett, of South Windham were visiting here last week. Mr. Clark spent the day fishing. Organized Grange. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Browning, Miss Alice Mahoney of this place and Mr. Staples of Colchester were in Franklin Saturday evening, where they organized the Franklin grange, with a good number of members. Mrs. Green, Mrs. Bert Green and daughter Laura of Columbia were guests of local relatives recently. Mr. and Mrs. Congdon of Bozrah street were visiting friends here Sunday. At Lebanon Meeting. Local grangers were in Lebanon on Thursday evening, when members of Colchester grange presented an interesting program. Arthur Mahoney and Frank Case are working at Trading Cove on Mr. Getchard's mill. Mr. Dwyer has raised the frame for a new bay.